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LABELS, CARDS, TICKETS, PROGRAMMES, HANDBILLS, POSTERS, BLANKS, PAMPHLETS, &C., &C.,

DONE AT THE OFFICE OF THE

Massillon Independent,

Neatly, expeditiously, and on terms adapted to the times. Having just purchased a variety of new Job Type, which have been added to the previous extensive sorts on hand, we are prepared to accommodate our customers in a style with which they cannot but be pleased.

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ERIE STREET, MASSILLON, OHIO.

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S. HUNT, *Cash.* [81 1y] I. STEESE, *Pres.*

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James Harsh,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

MASSILLON, OHIO.

Office in G. Harsh's Block, up stairs.

☞Prompt attention given to business entrusted to his care—304 1y

R. H. FOLGER,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Massillon, Ohio. Office over G Reed's store, Main st.

Anson Pease,

AUTHORIZED

Claim, Bounty and Pension AGENCY.

Office over First National Bank, Massillon, O. 80

HENRY E. FROST,

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PHYSICIANS.

H. CEROULD, M. D.

Office (for the present) over Union National Bank, Erie street, Massillon, O.

Former associate of Prof H R Storer, Boston, Mass.—292 2m

OFFICE HOURS—8 to 9 a m; 1 to 3 p m; 7 to 8 p m.

A. METZ, M. D.—Office and residence on North street, Massillon, Ohio.

Office hours—7½ to 9 a.m.; 1 to 2 p.m.; 6 to 7½ p.m

To secure prompt attention orders for morning visits must be sent in by 9 o'clock, and for afternoon visits by 2 o'clock. Aug 9-163 tf

T. J. REED, M. D., over Hookway's Clothing Store, Massillon, Ohio.

DRS. HOUTZ & RIDENOUR, Physicians and Surgeons, Canal Fulton, O.

A. R. SOWERS, Physician and Surgeon, Canal Fulton, Ohio.

D. R. LYON, M. D.,

Office—Corner Mill and Main streets, Massillon, Ohio.

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Doctor Richards,

Office and residence on Mill street, Dr late M S Swaney, Massillon) 251y

DRUGGISTS.

JOSEPH WATSON,

Druggist,

Main street, Massillon, Ohio,

Keeps constantly on hand Oils, Paints, Drugs, Medicines, Brushes, Varnish, Glass, Wall and Window Papers, and every other article in his line.

EDWARD KACHLER,

Druggist and Bookseller,

Main street, Massillon, Ohio.

DEALER IN

DRUGS and BOOKS,

Medicines, Oils, Paints, Varnish, Glass, Perfumery, Patent Medicines, School Books, Wall and Window Papers, Inks and Stationery.

DENTISTS.

E. CHIDESTER,

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Office on Main st., over Harsh & Humberger's.

ALL operations in Dentistry warranted, and charges as low as those of any other dentist in Stark or Wayne county.

Gutta Percha or Hard Rubber work done in the best possible style with Hayes' celebrated

High Pressure Vulcanizer.

Massillon, July 4, 1863-1 1y

A. H. JOHNSON, Surgeon Dentist,

(Successor to D W Jeffries.)

Office, north side Main street, over Conrad's Hardware Store, Massillon, O.

HE warrants his work second to none in Ohio for beauty, comfort and durability, from one to an entire set, on gold, silver, platina or vulcanite base. Charges moderate—200 1y

GROCERIES.

H K DICKEY— F R WEBB.

H. K. DICKEY & CO.,

Wholesale Grocers & Tobacco dealers

(SELL TO THE TRADE ONLY,)

MASSILLON, O. 196-1y

FREDERICK LOEFFLER,

Retail Grocer,

And Dealer in Flour, Provisions, Stone, Wooden and Willow Ware, Oils and Lamps, Cigars, Oysters, Confectionery, Fruits, Toys, Fancy Baskets, Childrens' Willow Wagons, &c., nearly opposite American Hotel, Main street, Massillon, O.

Morganthaler, jr., & Breed,

GROCERS,

Successors to D. R. Atwater & Co., Main street, Marsillon, O. 160tf

LUMBERMEN.

New Lumber Yard.

THE subscriber is now prepared to fill bills for LUMBER, at **Cleveland Prices,** freight added, on short notice.

I have a full Stock of Pine Timber and Lumber, Flooring, Siding, Ceiling, Barn Boards, Battens, Shingles and Lath,

In short, EVERYTHING in the Lumber Line. The public are respectfully invited to call at office in the White Warehouse opposite the Depot, Massillon, Ohio

M A BROWN

March 9-245 3m

MISCELLANEOUS.

D. R. ATWATER & CO.,

Forwarding & Commission Merchants,

And Dealers in all kinds of

Country Produce.

Warehouse in rear of Atwater Block.-160

W. F. RICKS & BRO.,

Dry Goods Merchants,

Massillon, O.

KILLINGER & COMP.,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Cooking, Parlor and Heating STOVES, Plows, Plow Points, Cultivators, Bells, and Miscellaneous Castings.

OFFICE AND FOUNDRY on Main street, between Canal and river, Massillon, O. 75 ca

BLANKS FOR SALE HERE.

INSURE YOUR LIFE

WITH HE

Guardian Mutual Life Insurance Comp.

of New-York City.

Assets, - - - Over One Million Dollars.

ALL POLICIES **NON-FORFEITABLE.**

FIFTY per Cent, Dividend declared January 1, 1868.

H. H. GAHAGAN, Sec. W. H. PECKHAM, Pres.

M. O. WAGGONER, Gen'l. Sup't. for Ohio and Michigan, Norwalk, O.

Col. EDWARD BRIGGS, Special Agent, Massillon, O.

Dr D. R. LYON, Medical Examiner. 249 1y

Myers & Willison,

MANUFACTURERS OF

HUBS, SPOKES, and BENT MATERIAL FOR WAGONS and CARRIAGES,

PLANING and MATCHING

DONE TO ORDER.

☞Factory and Office north end Erie street. Massillon, Ohio. April 12-146 tf

A. HARSH,

WHOLESALE DEALER IN

Notions and Fancy Goods

AND MANUFACTURER OF

Umbrellas and Parasols,

Corner of Main and Factory streets, Massillon, O.

☞REPAIRING DONE PROMPTLY. 186

A. T. Skinner,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Massillon, Ohio.

Wool, Sheep Pelts, and Furs

BOUGHT. 267 Office in Stone Block.

WILLIAM BROWN,

Dealer in Coal,

Which is constantly kept for sale near Massillon Steam Mills, Erie street. 75

J. H. JUSTUS & CO.,

PROPRIETORS SIPPO VALLEY MILLS,

Are ready at all times to wait on customers with despatch and in good style. Feb. 15-138 1y

ISAAC H. BROWN,

Notary Public and Insurance Agent,

Massillon, Ohio.

Office with S. Lind & Co., 84 Erie Street, near Massillon Steam Mills.

UNFAILING

EYE PRESERVERS!

The large and increasing Sales of our celebrated

Perfected Spectacles

AND

EYE GLASSES,

In Massillon and vicinity by our Agent,

Louis Schaufele, *Jeweler,*

Is a sure proof of their great superiority over the ordinary glasses We were satisfied that the reality of the advantages secured by their use, viz:

The Brilliancy of Sight!

The perfect ease & comfort,

And the readily ascertained improvement of the eyes, continuous and abiding as it invariably is, would be sufficient to insure their almost general adoption by the residents of this locality. And the result has proved we were right—as an assistant to and

Preservers of the Sight.

To extreme old age they are unapproachable, and are really cheapest, because lasting so many years without change being necessary.

Mr. Louis Schaufele, Jeweler, is the sole and only agent in this locality, and has always on hand a full assortment of

Gold, Silver, Steel, and Shell Frames,

Suitable for every difficulty of the sight.

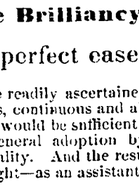
CAUTION!—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not **Supply or Employ Peddlers,** here or elsewhere. Be aware of their false representations to the contrary.

280 1y LAZARUS & MORRIS, Manufacturing Opticians, Hartford, Ct.

Grand Opening

For the Holidays at

COLEMANS.



Gold and Silver Watches.

RICH JEWELRY.

Diamonds.

Sterling Silver Ware.

Napkin Rings.

Fruit Knives.

Gold Pens—a full assortment.

Gold and Silver Thimbles.

The best stock of silver plated Spoons Forks, Ice Pitchers, Cake Baskets Castors and every thing in that line ever before offered in Massillon.

BOHEMIAN GLASS

Toilet Sets.

Clocks in great variety.

Musical Instruments, &c.,

Violin Strings and Trimmings.

Fancy Goods, &c.;

All suitable for Holiday Gifts, and

WILL be sold at Prices LOWER THAN EVER -Customers cant fail to be suited, both in Goods and Prices. 233 JOS. COLEMAN.

Life Insurance Co.,

OF THE

United States of America,

WASHINGTON, D C.

Chartered by Special Act of Congress,

APPROVED JULY 25 1868.

Cash Capital, - - $1,000.000.

PAID IN FULL.

BRANCH OFFICE:

First National Bank Building

PHILADELPHIA,

Where the general business of the company is transacted, and to which all general correspondence should be addressed.

FFICERS:

CLARENCE H CLARK, President.
JAY COOKE, Chairman Finance and Executive Committee.
HENRY D COOKE, Vice-President.
EMERSON W PEET, Secretary and Actuary.

This company offers the following advantages:
It is a national company, chartered by special act of congress, 1868.
It has a paid up capital of $1,000,000.
It offers low rates of premium.
It furnishes larger insurance than other companies for the same money.
It is definite and certain in its terms.
It is a home company in every locality.
Its policies are exempt from attachment.
There are no unnecessary restrictions in the policies.
Every policy is non forfeitable.
Policies may be taken which pay to the insured their full amount, and return all the premiums, so that the insurance costs only the interest on the annual payments.
Policies may be taken that will pay to the insured, after a certain number of years, during life, an annual income of one tenth the amount named in the policy.
No extra rate is charged for risks upon the lives of females.
It insures, not to pay dividends to policy holders but at so low a cost that dividends will be impossible.
Circulars, pamphlets and full particulars given on application to the branch office of the company, or to JOHN W ELLIS & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio.

General agents for Ohio and Central and Southern Indiana.

CLARK & ALEXANDER, Special Agents for Stark, Wayne, Summit and Portage Counties.

H. P. BALDWIN, Local Agent, Massillon Ohio. 225-1y

P., Ft. W. & C. Railway.

On and after May 9, 1869, trains will leave stations daily, Sundays excepted, as follows: Train leaving Chicago at 5-50 p m, leaves daily. Train leaving Pittsburg at 2-40 p m, leaves daily.

Stations.	TRAINS GOING WEST. Express.	Express.	TRAINS GOING EAST. Express.	Express.
Chicago.....	6 30 A M	9 10 P M	3 45 P M	11 50 P M
Valparaiso.....	4 30 "	6 50 "	1 45 A M	4 50 "
Plymouth.....	2 30 "	4 50 "	11 45 P M	2 50 "
Warsaw.....	1 50 "	4 10 "	11 05 "	2 10 "
Columbia.....	12 57 "	3 20 "	10 45 "	1 50 "
Fort Wayne.....	12 05 P M	2 30 "	10 00 "	1 00 "
Van Wert.....	10 57 A M	1 20 "	8 50 "	11 40 A M
Lima.....	10 05 "	12 25 A M	8 00 "	10 50 "
Bucyrus.....	9 10 "	11 30 "	7 05 "	9 55 "
Upper Sandusky	7 53 "	10 12 "	5 45 "	8 35 "
Forest.....	7 37 "	9 55 "	5 30 "	8 20 "
Findlay.....	6 55 "	9 10 "	4 45 "	7 35 "
Arlington.....	6 37 "	8 55 "	4 30 "	7 20 "
Fostoria.....	6 15 "	8 30 "	4 05 "	6 55 "
Tiffin.....	5 55 "	8 10 "	3 45 "	6 35 "
Crestline (Arriv	5 45 "	8 00 "	3 30 "	6 20 "
Crestline (Dep.	6 00 A M	8 00 P M	3 30 "	6 20 "
Galion.....	6 38 "	8 38 "	2 53 "	5 43 "
Bucyrus.....	7 05 "	9 05 "	2 25 "	5 15 "
Crestline.....	7 45 "	9 45 "	1 45 "	4 35 "
Orrville.....	8 23 "	10 23 "	1 08 "	3 58 "
Wooster.....	8 54 "	10 54 "	12 40 "	3 30 "
Mansfield.....	9 30 "	11 30 "	12 05 "	2 55 "
Massillon.....	9 45 "	11 45 "	11 50 A M	2 40 "
Alliance.....	10 20 "	12 20 P M	11 15 "	2 05 "
Salem.....	10 58 "	1 00 "	10 35 "	1 25 "
Rochester.....	11 45 "	1 50 "	9 45 "	12 35 P M
Pittsburgh.....	2 40 P M	5 00 "	7 00 "	9 30 A M

Youngstown, New Castle and Erie Express leaves Youngstown, 2.30 p.m; New Castle, 4.00 p m; arrives Pittsburgh, 6.00p.m Returning, leaves Pittsburgh 7.15a.m; arrives New-Castle, 9.40a.m Youngstown, 10.45a m.

J M KIMBALL, Gen Ticket Agent.

Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad.

On and after April 26, 1869, trains will leave stations daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

MAIN LINE—	Mail	Exp	Acc	Acc
	A M	P M	P M	P M
Cleveland.....	8 30	12 25	3 35	5 35
Euclid Street....	8 41	12 36	3 46	5 46
Hudson.....	9 45	1 30	4 48	6 55
Ravenna.....	10 19	2 00	5 20	7 25
Alliance.....	10 40	2 20	5 40	7 45
Bayard.....	11 45	3 00	6 15	8 35
	P M			
Wellsville.....	1 20	4 30	....	....
			Going West	
RIVER DIVISION—Going East	Mail	Exp	Acc	Acc
	A M	P M	P M	P M
Wellsville.....	8 15	1 40	4 50	....
Smith's Ferry..	8 40	2 05	5 11	7 00
Rochester.....	9 25	2 35	5 50	....
Pittsburgh.....	10 35	3 40	6 55	....
Pittsburgh.....	8 00	12 55	4 00	....
Beaver.....	8 45	1 40	4 45	....
Rochester.....	9 00	1 55	5 00	....
Smith's Ferry..	9 45	2 40	5 45	....
Wellsville.....	10 10	3 05	6 10	....
	A M	P M	P M	P M
Wellsville.....	8 40	3 55	....	....
			Going West	
RIVER DIVISION—Going East	Mail	Exp	Acc	Acc
	A M	P M	P M	P M
Wellsville.....	8 45	4 10	5 00	....
Smith's Ferry..	9 10	4 35	5 25	....
Rochester.....	9 55	5 20	6 05	....
Pittsburgh.....	11 05	6 30	7 15	....
Pittsburgh.....	10 40	6 30	0	....
Beaver.....	10 55	6 50	0	....
Rochester.....	11 40	7 35	0	....
Smith's Ferry..	12 05	8 00	0	....
Wellsville.....	12 50	8 45	0	....
	P M			
Wellsville.....	1 20	4 30	....	....
			Going West	
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Hudson.....	9 45	1 30	4 48	6 55
Ravenna.....	10 19	2 00	5 20	7 25
Alliance.....	10 40	2 20	5 40	7 45
Bayard.....	11 45	3 00	6 15	8 35
	P M			
Wellsville.....	1 20	4 30	....	....

J M KIMBALL, Gen. Ticket Agent.

Autocrat Horse Hay Fork.

To supply the demand of this last and best Fork patented we have opened a new department in our business; and to give it an immediate introduction we shall pay the largest commission ever offered. Agents wanted in every township. Farmers and agents send for a circular at once. The trade supplied. Address the secretary,

304 tf J. K. WILDER, Akron.

Plum, Venango Co., Pa. Dec 16, 1868.

DR SAGE & Co., Buffalo, N Y.

Gentlemen:—Your excellent catarrh remedy has accomplished for my wife more than we could have believed without trying it. We had given up all hope of ever effecting a cure in her case. We had already tried almost every other remedy proposed by the medical faculty without the least benefit, some really were an injury. Her sense of smell was destroyed, and her vision becoming much injured from the disease having produced closure of the tearduct, and even the sense of taste was much impaired. With the use of three boxes only of your remedy, I believe the catarrh is entirely healed. What a great work it has done in driving away the dark brooding despair that had settled on our minds. I shall ever recommend your catarrh remedy to all with whom I meet afflicted with the dread disease. Yours truly,

JOHN WRIGHT,

Dr Sage's remedy will be sent to any address by mail, on receipt of sixty cents. Address R V Pierce, M D, Buffalo, N Y. For sale by most druggists everywhere. 310-2w

With dyspeptics everything is wrong. Food does not digest: sleep does not refresh; wine does not gladden: music does not charm, nor can any other joy enter the breast of the miserable dispeptic. You must get rid of it, or it will become seated and confirmed, and life will be a burden and existence a curse. Plantation Bitters will do away with all this. New life strength and energy will take possession of you. The damask will again bloom upon your cheek, and the luster in your eye will again be as bright as in your healthiest, happiest and most joyous days.

MAGNOLIA WATER.—Superior to the best imported German Cologne, and sold at half the price.—1y274

THE WORST DISORDERS

that afflict the human system arise from a depraved condition of the blood. Mishler's Herb Bitters possesses extraordinary power over the blood. Use it and eradicate disease.

New York Store,

MATHEWS' BLOCK,

Canton, O., May 5th, 1869.

Having just received from the east a large and desirable stock of goods which we are selling at remarkably

LOW PRICES.

Comprised of DRESS GOODS, in various styles, such as

Silk Poplins, Silk and Wool Poplin, Wash Poplin, Striped Poplin, All wool Plaids, Lawns from 20 to 40 cts, Striped and Figured Chintzs, Notions, Kidd Gloves,

Lisle Thread Gloves,

Hosery, Parasols, Sun Umbrellas, Balmoral Skirts, La Belle Skirts, Hoop Skirts, White Goods, Counterpanes in every style, Tucked Muslin,

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs,

Plain and varied Jaconet, Nainsooks, plain and striped, Swiss Mulls, Victoria Lawns, Tarlton, all colors,

Lace Curtains, Cheap.

Linen Shirt Fronts, Napkins.

Please call and examine our DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT, consisting of

Bleached Muslin,

A full yd wide, from 12½ to 20 cts per yard.

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN,

From 10 to 18 cts,, full yard wide,

Shirting Checks, Flannels plain and plaid, Table Linens. at 50, 60, 75, 90, 1.00 125. Table cottons, at 37½, 40, and 45 cts., Crash, from 10 to 25 cts., Ticklings, from 20 to 45 cts., Ginghams, from 12½ to 18 cts.

We have also a full line of

Cloths, Cassimeres, Jeans, Ladies Cloth, Waterproof, Brown and Black.

We also have a stock of

SHOES,

Which we are selling AT COST, as we don't intend to deal in Shoes, we offer great bargains in that line.

We feel satisfied that we can please all who may favor us with a call at the cheap Cash Store.

A. R. MILLER,

With W. H. DAUGHADAY. 305-tf

INDEPENDENT.

The Logic of Lager.

This is the age of conventions. There is scarcely a day that is not distinguished by a convention, but it is only now and then that one of these gatherings in the interest of mankind rises to the serene altitude of a congress. But the brewers have just held a congress, whereof the conclusions were duly recorded in our last. We learn therefrom that the brewers will have the revenue laws modified, so that we shall no longer be subjected to arbitrary seizures or inquisitorial examinations into our private business affairs—that they want the duty on barley remitted so that they can buy their stock in Canada; and have directed their executive committee to see the thing done; that they will maintain an efficient organization, and patronize only journals favorable to their interests—meaning, perhaps, the Tribune, though we rather guess not—and—but we must quote this in full:

WHEREAS, It is an undeniable fact that the beverage most in vogue among a people exercises a marked influence upon their character and habits, their natural tastes and institutions; that the use of fermented liquors has a tendency to suppress the passions usually excited by the indulgence in distilled liquors, and thus checks intemperance and crime, and promotes the cause of true temperance; and that in consequence of the recognition and appreciation of this fact it has become the settled policy of all enlightened governments to place within easy reach of the working classes a wholesome and nutritious beverage possessing as few intoxicating qualities as possible: therefore

Resolved, That we hereby reiterate and reaffirm, as our standing creed and unchangeable purpose, that we will continue in the future, as we have in the past, to battle for the promotion of civil and religious liberty throughout the United States; and that we will use all honorable means to deprive the political and Puritanical temperance men of the power they have so long exercised in the councils of the political parties of this country, and that for that purpose we will support no candidate for any office who is identified with that illiberal and narrow minded element.

Whether the brewers in congress mean to say that water, milk, lemonade, &c., are not wholesome and nutritious, or that they are more intoxicating than lager beer, we do not quite understand; but we submit that they do not stand by their friends. Why so broadly insinuate that distilled liquors excite evil passions? Why commend lager as possessing as few intoxicating properties as possible? Is not this holding up your brethren who dispense the warmer stimulants to public reproach? If lager is so commendable for its few intoxicating qualities, would n't a beverage that possessed none at all be still more wholesome?

The congress resolved that it will fight the battle of civil and religious liberty by proscribing and driving from power the political and puritanical temperance men—and to this end will support no candidate tainted with that illiberal and narrow minded sentiment. We call this square and manly, though we don't just see where the liberality comes in. Those whom it denounces, it is presumed, will not vote for the favorites of the brewers' congress; the brewers will not vote for temperance men: that *seems* just as broad as it is long: but how it can be liberal on one side and illiberal on the other, we can't begin to make out. However, the congress has resolved it; so we suppose it is all right.—N. Y. Tribune.

Imperialism in France costs a snug sum. The most succinct statement we have seen is that put forth by an opposition committee of one of the French departments; they say: The second empire has an annual budget of 2,300,002,000, francs, and yet it is unable to pay the poor teachers of the common schools sufficiently. Instead of that we have a large number of high dignitaries who receive the most enormous salaries. Without laying stress on the chief of the state, who receives 74,520 francs daily, we have furthermore, ten ministers who cost us 27,229 francs daily, a council of state which costs us 7,123 francs daily, and the court of control which costs us 4,109 francs daily. All the ministers, the three presidents of the senate, the corps legislatiff, the members of the privy council, the chiefs of the military departments, each receive 100,000 francs, and there is an abundance of salaries of 60,000, 50 000 and 40,000 francs, mostly paid to men of the most questionable antecedents and of little or no ability.

A subscription paper was presented to a wealthy French manufacturer, who subscribed 20 francs. 'Twenty francs,' said the lady presenting the list: 'why, your son has subscribed 50 francs.' 'That's all very well,' replied the manufacturer, 'my son has a rich father and can afford it.

Reverie of a Church Sexton.

"Splendid day! We'll have quite a turn out. There's nothing like sunshine to draw an audience. It's better than all the popular preachers that ever were born. Oh! there's my memorandum book; I'd like to have forgotten it, and if them directions hadn't been tended to, most likely I'd have lost my place. Let's see. [Takes out a memorandum and reads:]

"By order of Judge R. the woman who squints and eats cardamon seeds is not to be put in the seat in front of him.

"By order of Squire B. the young man who ogles his daughter and wears plaid pants is to be put somewhere on the other side of the church.

"By order of the wealthy Miss Prudence Prim, the young man whose clothes smell of cigars and brandy shall be set behind her.

"Quite a chapter, anyhow. But people are beginning to streak in.—There's two young women waiting. Common sort of folks, I guess, gentility dont come quite so early as this Have a seat, marm. She says with a bow, if you please, sir. No matter, politeness is a cheap article, it don't cost nothing. So here goes the two young women into one of the black wall pews. Here's two more birds of the same feather; woolen shawls, straw bonnets and cotton gloves; wall pew, second from the door, good enough in all conscience.

Ah! there's a bride. Satin velvet, and white kids; fine broadcloth and white vest. Shall I have the pleasure of showing yourself and lady some seats? They must have some firstrate seats, for they are evidently somebody. What a difference there is in folks!

Now there's a dressmaker and a school-mistress, nobodies. Back seats good enough. Two young lawyers—somebodies; I must find a seat in the middle aisle. A rich widow—somebody—middle aisle. A broken down minister, coat rather seedy, cravat rather coarse—nobody—side aisle. Six fashionable boarding school girls—somebodies—middle aisle if possible. Rouged cheeks but a splendid silk cloak, somebody—middle aisle. An apprentice boy, decent looking, but a nobody—side aisle.

Who'll say I ain't a judge of human nature? Don't I know who a man is the minute I see him?

Now there's one of our seedy coated old fellows coming. Don't I set him down as a nobody, and won't he be glad to get any kind of a seat? I'll show folks that I understand my business. Have a seat, sir?

Confound my ill luck. Just as I was putting him into one of the poorest seats in the house, along comes Judge R. who, spying him, comes up, and says he, 'Ah! how dy'e do, Governor B? Take a seat with me, sir; my wife will rejoice to meet you.' Shaking hands with the seedy coat, he looked daggers at me, and I'll bet a fourpence I've lost my place. Who'd have thought the old fellow was an ex-governor? But that comes of looking as meek as a schoolmaster, and dressing like a wood sawyer. Why don't folks, as ought to, hold up their heads and be somebody?"

HOW STUPID.—To walk along the street with an umbrella or cane under your arm, the end sticking out for everybody to run his face into.

How stupid for three ladies to walk abreast, and move so slowly that persons in a hurry must either go between them or get into the gutter.

How stupid to puff and blow and well nigh faint upon ascending a stairway, with forty pounds of fashionable cloak on your back.

How stupid to go late to church and annoy the minister and congregation by your fussy entrance.

How stupid to wear a dress four feet too long and then look daggers if any one steps on it.

How stupid not to know what you want when you get into a dry goods store.

How stupid to eat when you are not hungry.

How stupid to smother the smell of your unwashed person in musk or other disagreeable perfumes.

How stupid to think that people's opinion of you increase in proportion to the cost of your clothes.

How stupid to refuse to sing or play when urged, or to bore people to distraction by doing so when not urged

Minister Burlingame rebuked the foreigners who thought they 'outranked' him in Paris, in the following style: "We Americans do not raise the question of rank. We receive all gentlemem as occupying a common level. But if you raise the question of posstion, we outrank you. You are nothing but Dukes, Marquises, Counts. We belong to the royal family. We are the equal of the president. We are all heirs apparent to the throne. We stand up for our order, and if need be we fight for our order.

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Singular Will,

Yesterday we heard of and read part of the most singular will on record, The maker of the will is represented to be a shrewd, successful business man, who had accumulated quite a large fortune. He exhibits no other signs of insanity than may be derived from the extreme eccentricity of his will, although it is probable the court will, in due course be called upon to determine the question whether the testator was of sound and disposing mind.

The will disinherits all the natural heirs of the maker of it, and devises the entire property in trust for the establishment of an infirmary for cats. A most elaborate architectural plan for the necessary buildings is attached to and made part of the will. It provides areas for that sweet amitory converse so dear to the feline heart, and rat holes of the most ravishing nature, to be kept well stocked. The most ingenious contrivances are provided for the securing to the rat a chance of escape, so that the cats may not lose the pleasures of the chase by finding their prey come too easily. High walls are to be built, with gently slooping roofs, for the moonlight promenade and other nocturnal amusements of the cats. The trustees are directed to select the grounds for this novel Infirmary in the most populous part of some American city, and the devisees are to be protected by a competent force of nurses from the ravages of men and dogs. No person of the male sex is ever to be admitted within the walls, and no female who has children or is under thirty years old. There are hundreds of minute directions which we have no time to note.

One would suppose that in the foregoing provisions the testator had exhausted all the eccentricities of one man, however unique his nature; but the last provision of the will seems more outrageously bizarre than any that go before. Says the devisor: I have all my life been taught to believe that everything in and about man was intended to be useful; and that it was man's duty, as lord of animals, to protect all the lesser species, even as God protects and watches over him. For these two combined reasons—first, that my body ever after may continue to be made useful, and secondly, that it may be made instrumental as far as possible in furnishing a substitute for the protection of my dear friends, the cats, I do hereby devise and bequeath the intestines of my body to be made up into fiddle strings, the proceeds to be devoted to the purchase of an accordeon, which shall be played in the auditorium of the cat infirmary by one of the regular nurses to be selected for that purpose exclusively—the playing to be kept up forever and ever without cessation day or night, in order that the cats may have the privilege of enjoying that instrument which is the nearest approach to their natural voice.

If any journal can give us information of a more singular will than this, we should like to hear of it.—Columbus Journal.

The Christian Gentleman.

A modern writer thus describes the Christian gentleman: He is above a mean thing. He cannot stoop to a mean fraud. He invades no secret in the keeping of another; he betrays no secret confided to his own keeping. He never struts in borrowed plumage. He never takes selfish advantage of our mistakes. He uses no ignoble weapons in controversy. He never stabs in the dark. He is ashamed of muendoes. He is not one thing to a man's face and another behind his back. If by accident he comes into possession of his neighbor's counsels, he passes upon them an act of instant oblivion. He bears sealed packages without tampering with the wax. Papers not meant for his eye, whether they flutter at his window, or he open before him in unguarded exposure, are sacred to him. He invades no privacy of others, however the sentry sleeps. Bolts and bars, locks and keys, hedges and pickets, bonds and securities, notice to trespassers are none of them for him. He may be trusted himself out of sight, near the thinnest partition, anywhere. He buys no offices, he sells none, he intrigues for none. He would rather fail of his rights than win them through dishonor. He will eat honest bread. He tramples on no sensitive feeling. He insults no man. If he have rebuke for another he is straight-forward, open, manly. He cannot descend to scurrility. In short, whatever he judges honorable he practices towards every man.

The National Republican of Washington, says John Clem, of Ohio, the famous drummer boy, who dropped his drum for a musket, at Chickamauga, and shot a rebel colonel who demanded his surrender, and who was subsequently wounded in another engagement, has been appointed a cadet at large to West Point by the President. He was but twelve years of age when he beat his drum, and is scarcely seventeen now. He was cordially greeted by the President, Gen Logan, and the secretary of War, all of whom knew him while in the army.

Michigan has passed a law making it an assault to deal carelessly and menacingly with fire arms. By the new law, to point a fire arm at or towards a person is made a misdemeanor punishable by a fine of from $5 to $50. To intentionally discharge the fire arm, aimed without malice, at or towards a person, and with no injury, subjects the offender to a fine of $100, or imprisonment; while if injury results, the offender may be tried for it as a criminal, and punished by fine and imprisonment.

'Ma, if I should die and go to Heaven, should I wear my moir-antique dress?' 'No, my love, we can scarcely suppose we can wear the attire of this world in the next.' 'Then, ma, how would the angels know I belonged to the best society.

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Massillon, Wednesday, June 16.

Constitutional Amendment—YES.

THE COMING 4TH.—Arrangements are making at different places to observe the approaching national anniversary (which comes on Sunday) on the 3d. We have heard of no suggestions here yet as to how the day shall be spent by our citizens. At Orrville they expect to do the 3d by an exhibition of fine horses, and try their moving powers. Offers are also made to give liberal rewards for the swiftest rider on the velocipede—the fastest to receive $60, and so down to $15. That contest will be exhilarating no doubt, and have plenty of competitors. Some $1300 are also to be divided at Alliance, on the same day—of course the best taking the highest prizes in the way of speed and other desirable points in good horses. But the best observance, to our notion, in this vicinity, is to take place at Lawrence, where the friends of temperance propose to meet and have a pleasant time. The probability is, that competent speakers will be present, who will interest all such as choose to come together. All are invited.

We were misinformed in stating that the M. E. church of this place voted on the question of lay representatives last week—it is to-day the election takes place, commencing just after noon and continuing until evening. All members, of both sexes, of 21 years of age, in good standing, are entitled to a vote.

The twelfth annual commencement of Mt. Union College takes place on the 17th (to-morrow.) From what the programme indicates the exercises will be of unusual interest. The next fall term of this college begins August 17th. Under the present management there is every indication that this seat of learning is in a prosperous condition, and bids fair to continue its usefulness for many days in the future.

Parties going into court to take vengeance on slanderers, mend up broken affections, or punish violaters of solemn vows, very rarely succeed in securing the amount of damages for which they ask. A recent case of mangled affections and forgotten promises took place at Chicago. A Miss Craig sued a wealthy Mr. Sprague for breach of promise, placing her smashed up affections at $100,000, the court put it through and the jury returned a verdict in favor of the lady to the full amount If Mr Sprague considers this sort of business a luxury the outside world will say, let him keep it up, and shell out the hundreds of thousands in the way of atoning for violated promises—it will please some of the women highly.

MRS. M. A. STETSON, who lectured to our citizens some two years ago, now living at Washington city, has expressed a willingness to revisit our city sometime during the approaching lecture season, on a professional tour. At the present time we cannot foresee what may be the state of affairs next winter, in regard to the encouragement of literary efforts, as there is now no organized body that we are aware of, to take charge of such an enterprise. The early completion of the Opera House, however, may be a stimulus to our people in this direction, and if any any arrangements are projected and matured in that view, it is hoped whoever has charge of the undertaking will not forget that Mrs. S. is a very competent lady in the lecturing profession. The following from the Washington Chronicle speaks well in her favor. In 3d column.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co., of Philadelphia. This company is one of the oldest and best organized in the land, offering to insurers all the advantages derived from age, experience, character, and capital. Mr. William Parker, the general agent, is a veteran in life insurance; having in his experience underwritten from four to five hundred applications, covering over twelve hundred and fifty-five thousand dollars. Thoroughly posted in his business, persons contemplating insurance would do well, at least, to hear what he has to say on the merits of his company—not the least of which is the lowness of its rate of expenses—being from four to five times less than those of some young companies doing business in this city.

Ten years ago Charles Langston, a colored man of Oberlin, was tried before the United States court at Cleveland, upon a prosecution instigated by the administration of James Buchanan, for a violation of the fugitive slave law, was found guilty, and imprisoned in the county jail for twenty days. It was just ten years last Wednesday since this sentence was fulfilled. Now, we find this convicted caiminal offered the position of United States minister to Liberia. This is a curious illustration of the changes wrought by time. —Mahoning Register.

The Odd Fellows celebration at Canton on last Wednesday was numerously attended, several hundred of the brotherhood being present and participating. The procession was a long one, which was marched to the fair grounds, where addresses were delivered by several speakers, in both English and German. Good order and fraternal feeling marked the occasion, and our folks who were there decide that it was a big thing.

Some twenty-four wagon loads of building stone were taken through town yesterday, from the quarry adjoining the city, to Canton, for the purpose of aiding in the erection of a church in that place.

Daughaday, Disque & Jackman, enterprising young merchants of Canton, have commenced the publication of a monthly sheet call The Magnet. It is a busines sheet, circulation free, and pretty well alive with advertisements.

Union County Convention.

Proceedings of the Convention—Resolutions Instructing for Hayes and Porter.

The annual Convention of Republicans, for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Convention, was held in this city on Saturday, June 12th. The Convention was organized by the election of Rudolphus Martin, of Paris township to the Chair. C. Barnaby, of Washington, and J. Hartzell of Canton were elected secretaries.

Upon motion of Peter Chance a committee of five, to name delegates to the state convention, was appointed. The chairman appointed upon said committee, Peter Chance, Samuel Haines, S. C. Bowman, E. N. Johnson and J. M. Truby.

During the deliberations of said committee the convention acted upon the following resolutions, which were introduced by Gen. Ed. F. Schneider:

Resolved, That in view of the high reputation as a soldier and a statesman attained by Gov. R. B. Hayes, his earnest devotion to the republican cause, his marked ability as a popular orator, and above all the eminent fitness for the gubernatorial office already displayed by him, we are heartily in favor of selecting him as our leader in the ensuing campaign, and our delegates to the State Convention are hereby instructed to cast the entire vote of Stark for his re-nomination.

Resolved, That we present to our republican brethren throughout the state the name of Richard R. Porter, of Stark county, as a candidate for member of the board of public works; that we indorse him as a thoroughly honest and incorruptible, as a man fully qualified for the position, and as a faithful and active member of the party; and that our delegation be instructed to cast the thirteen votes of Stark in his favor, so long as there is a hope of his nomination.

The resolutions were adopted by the unanimous and hearty voice of the convention.

The committee on delegates reported the following delegates and alternates:

DELEGATES.	ALTERNATES.
C. Russell	D. Atwater
B. Fulton	E. F. Schneider
R. Martin	W. Unger
Samuel Brooke	J. F. Oliver
John Mobly	J. W. Garrison
D. P. Weimer	Isaac Welty
J. E. Dougherty	J. W. Underhill
J. Moffet	J. M. Truby
W. W. McClun	J. Keel
S. C. Bowman	E. N. Johnson
D. Hoover	M. Bitzer
R. Wilson	J. Ammerman
E. Raff	J. C Mong.

The report of the committee on delegates was unanimously adopted. The Convention adjourned *sine die*.

R. MARTIN, Chairman.
C. BARNABY, } Sec'ys.
J. HARTZELL, }

UNION PRIMARY ELECTION.

Pursuant to the call of the chairman, the Republican central committee met at the auditor's office, June 12th. The following is announced as the action of the committee.

The primary election for the nomination of candidates for the following offices will be held on SATURDAY, JUNE 26th, at the places hereinafter named.

Two members of the general assembly of the state; one probate judge, one treasurer, one sheriff, prosecuting attorney, one county commissioner, coroner, infirmary director, a land appraiser for each township. The cities of Canton, Massillon and Alliance will each be entitled to one land appraiser in addition to the above. At the same time one senatorial delegate will be elected for each one hundred votes cast for governor Hayes two years ago, and one for each fraction of one hundred of fifty and over.

Each township will at the same time elect one central committee man.

Places where polls will be opened:

PARIS Tp—Minerva, New Franklin and Paris.
WASHINGTON—Strasburg, Mt Union & Freeburg.
LEXINGTON—Mt Union, Alliance and Lima.
MARLBORO—Marlboro and New Baltimore.
NIMISHILLEN—Louisville and Harrisburg.
OSNABURG—Osnaburg and Mapleton.
SANDY—Waynesburg and Magnolia.
PIKE—Sparta Grove Schoolhouse, & West Lake.
CANTON—Canton and North Industry.
PLAIN—New Berlin, Oberlin's Mills, Peshell's and Middle Branch
LAKE—Uniontown Hartville and Greentown.
JACKSON—McDonaldsville and Bridgeport.
PERRY—Massillon and Richville.
BETHLEHEM—Navarre.
SUGAR CREEK—Wilmot and Bell's Mills.
TUSCARAWAS—Brookfield and Greenville.
LAWRENCE—Canal Fulton, Lawrence and Stone Schoolhouse.

The polls will be open between the hours of 10 A. M. and 1 P. M., and from 3 P. M. to 9 P. M., when they will be closed.

The rules heretofore established governing the primary elections will be observed in the ensuing one.

The returns of said election will be furnished the chairman at Canton not later than the Tuesday following the election.

WM. McKINLEY, Chairman.
S. C. BOWMAN, Sec.

John G. Whittier, says the Chicago Friend of Peace, has sent to the "Whittier College," Iowa, a handsome gift of well selected books. The trustees, and its friends generally, are highly pleased with this practical acknowledgment by the gifted poet of his literary namesake. We hope the college may endure as long, and its fame be as unspotted as is the influence of the liberty inspiring verses of this "poet of the people"; and what better could we wish it?—*N. Y. Ind.*

We are authorized to announce the name of PETER CHANCE, of Canton, as candidate for nomination for Sheriff of Stark county, subject to the action of the republican primary election.

LOST—A Child's Neck Chain with Pearl Slides, the finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

Novel Reading.

Accustomed to acquire information under the guise of amusement, young people will soon reject that which is presented to them under the aspect of study and labor. Learning their knowledge and science in sport, they will become apt to make sport of both; whilst the habit of intellectual dissipation, thus engendered cannot fail, in the course of time, to produce a thoroughly emasculating effect both upon their mind and character. The Novel is the most favorite refuge of the frivolous and the idle. As a rest from toil, and a relaxation from graver pursuits, the perusal of a well written story, by a writer of genius, is a high intellectual pleasure; and it is a description of literature to which all classes of readers, old and young, are attached as by a powerful instinct; nor would we have any of them debarred from its enjoyment in a reasonable degree. But to make it the exclusive literary diet as some do,—to devour the garbage with which the shelves of circulating libraries are crowded,—and to occupy the greater portion of their leisure hours in studying the preposterous pictures of human life which so many of them present, is worse than loss of time,—it is positively pernicious. The habitual novel-reader indulges in fictitious feelings so much, that there is great risk of sound and healthy feeling becoming perverted or destroyed. For the literary pity evoked by fiction leads to no corresponding action; the susceptibilities which it excites involve no inconvenience or self sacrifice; so that the heart that is troubled too often by the fiction may at length become insensible to the reality. The steel is gradually rubbed out of the character, and it insensibly loses its vital spring. As Nero was partial only to the mildest strains of music, so Robespierre's delight was to read stories of love and endearment.

* * * "Drawing fine pictures of virtue in one's mind,' said Bishop Butler, 'is so far from necessarily or certainly conducive to form a *habit* of it in him who thus employs himself that it may even harden the mind in a contrary course, and render it gradually more insensible. SMILES.

A gentleman of fine literary culture, very well known in this city and the country at large, sends us the following appreciative notice of the lecture delivered a few evenings since by Mrs Maria A. Stetson:

Mrs. Stetson's unpretending, but deeply intelligent and sincere manner, manifest in her former lecture, called for a repetition. A large number of men of the ripest attainments, three or four prominent government officers, and others in high positions as public instructors in the pulpit were her auditors; some senators even leaving their places at the Capitol to be present. The lecture was clear and logical in arrangement, well digested in argument and illustration, sprightly with anecdote, yet each to the point. The delivery was in a clear, well sustained, and full voice; her emphasis gave each turn of thought its just weight; her action was graceful and dignified; and aside from a slight want of repose, a common fault, which time will soon correct, Mrs. Stetson commended herself as one of the most instructive, pleasing, and impressive of lecturers, securing undivided attention during the entire hour. It will be a happy thing for us, as a great people, if, while the old code of laws as to woman's appropriate control over her property is being corrected, and an independence of action essential to her usefulness as possessor of material wealth is afforded, the riches of female intellectual treasures are allowed to be brought from their napkin wrappings and made available for public utility. Men that are men will hail such aids as Mrs. Stetson in teaching and moulding young men, for the mild counsel of a matron mother is mightier than the stern mandate of tutor or guardian.

The election in Washington on Saturday resulted in giving the city to the republicans by over two thousand majority on the general ticket, and they have probably carried every one of the wards on councilmen and aldermen—certainly all but one. There has been a good deal of disturbance in some parts of the city, and at the polls near the houses of ex secretary Stanton and Senator Sherman. Negroes who were opposed to a colored man who voted the citizens ticket brought on a riot, in which there was a sharp fight between the negroes and police, all of whom are republicans. The chief of police was considerably bruised with clubs and stones, and a number of policemen were also injured. One negro was shot dead and two or three others were wounded. The police are on the streets in full force this evening, and things are comparatively quiet. Twenty or twenty-five persons have been more or less injured during the day. The democrats in some of the wards let the election go by default.

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MARRIED—June 6th by Rev. J. C. Klar, at his residence near Richville, O., Mr. FRANKLIN SLOCKER and Miss CATHARINE GLITZ, both of Massillon.

June 13, by the same MR. DAVISON L. BROWN and MISS CATHARINE WHITMIRE. Both of Stark county.

June 13, by the same, at the residence of Mr P. Theobald, Navarre, MR. FREDERICK LAMBERTUS and MISS ELIZABETH REIS. Both of Massillon.

DIED—June 13, MRS MARY JANE MCBRIDE, aged 68 years, long a resident of this place.

At Buffalo, N Y very suddenly, on the morning of June 5th, Mr WM. COLEMAN, formerly a resident of this city.

June 3d in Bethlehem Tp., JOHN NEWTON, son of Samuel and Caroline Riggenberg, after protracted spinal sufferings, caused by a fall about 10 months previously. Aged 11 years 5 months, May God comfort the bereaved parents in their affliction. The funeral obsequies took place June 3d and the occasion improved by the writer before a very large funeral assembly. J. C. KLAR.

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Massillon, O, Dec 14, 1868.

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WESTLEY DONALDSON.

Alliance, O. Nov, 16, 1868.

Mr Penoyer—Dear Sir:—I have for some time neglected to acknowledge the receipt of your medicine. I took it as directed, and from that date am happy to say, I am perfectly well!—not the least troubled.
Yours truly
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Massillon, O December, 17th 1868.

Mr J Penoyer—Sir:—I have been troubled with Piles for the past ten years, and have at last found a permanent cure in the Great Brazilian Pile Remedy.
Yours truly,
J H HARDGROVE.

Massillon, O, Nov. 27, 1868.

Mr Penoyer—Dear Sir:—I deem it but just to acknowledge the benefit I have derived from the use of your pile remedy. I have suffered for over fifteen years, and have spent, I think, one thousand dollars, and have never before found permanent relief. I am happy to say I am well—entirely cured—and can cheerfully recommend your medicine to all afflicted with the piles.
J W TRUITT.

Massillon, O. Sept. 9, 1868.

Mr J Penoyer—Dear Sir.—I consider it a privilege to acknowledge the cure of my wife from the use of your medicine After using it one day she remained perfectly well. I can recommend it to all afflicted with piles.
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Yours, &c, SAMUEL ALLERTON.

Massillon, O, March 3, 1869

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Respectfully S. C. McDONALD.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—I hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with Messrs Samuel Allerton, of Hemetite, Jefferson Co., Mo., John Bean, Massillon, O, J. H. Haldgrove, James Truitt, T. H. Stansbury, John B. Wert and Westley Donaldson, also of Massillon and Z. B. Johnson, of Alliance, O, and take pleasure in certifying that they are men of good moral character and that full faith and credit are due and can safely be given to all the matters and things set forth in these several certificates in reference to the efficacy of the "Brazilian Remedy" for Hemorrhoids or Piles.

Witness my official signature and seal, the day and year above written.
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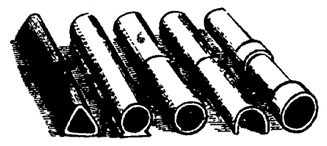

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DR. C. W. ROBACK,

Dear Sir:—Last fall my wife had the Liver Complaint so bad she was able to sit up but a few minutes at a time. I had a physician doctoring her for some time, but the medicine he gave her seemed to do her but little or no good. I was advised to get her a bottle of your Bitters, and let her try them, and see if they would help her. So I thought if one bottle would be good two would be better, and I got her two bottles, and when she had taken the last bottle she could do most of her house work. I got her one more which entirely cured her, and she looks the best I have seen her for four years. We recommended them to several of our neighbors who have used them with great success.

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That beautiful tract of land known as the **FAIR GROUND,** on the bluff west of Massillon, and on the western bank of the Tuscarawas river, together with the joining lands has just been divided up into town lots, which are recorded as the

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The lots are of good size and will be sold at such easy terms of payment as to place a home within the reach of all. The beauty of the location is unsurpassed, and we believe it is a conceded fact that a location on the west bank of a running stream of water is always more healthy than one on the east bank.

It is apparent to all that the business and population of Massillon are very rapidly increasing; it is also apparent that public attention is directed to the west side of the river as the most desirable point for a home now in the market, or that probably ever will be in the market again. We think therefore that it is safe to predict that in a very few years this grand addition

RIVERSIDE,

Will be covered over with dwelling houses, which will be occupied by a large proportion of the busy citizens of the city of Massillon.

Every man who has a family or ever expects to have one ought to have a home in his own right, then he will be independent, if not rich. A better opportunity will never again be offered of securing one so dssirable, so cheap; and so easily paid for.

Also a very desirable out lot, of about eight acres, adjoining Massillon, on the Canton road, will divide well into three or four pasture lots. Also some be utiful lots in the east part of the city.

The plots may be examined, and lots selected at my store. [292] P. G. ALBRIGHT.

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OPENING!
OF THE
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To the citizens of Massillon, and the public in general, we would respectfully announce that we have

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From our former place to the **New Opera House Block, No. 1,** Erie street, where we intend to keep the Latest Styles of

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Thanking our numerous friends and customers for their past patronage, we wish them to extend the same favor to us at our new stand; and all others we wish to call and see our

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On Main street, west side of Canal, opposite Warwick & Allman's Dry Goods store, where they will manufacture and keep for sale a general assortment of **FURNITURE,** consisting in part of

Common & Dressing Bureaus!
Common, Cottage, Zouave & French BEDSTEADS!
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Wash Stands, Card Tables, Cupboards, Cribs, Looking Glasses, &c.
—ALSO—
Sofas, Lounges, Spring Beds, Ottomans! Sea Grass, Husk, and Pure Hair Mattresses! Pillows, Bolsters, &c.

☞ All kinds of Furniture Repaired in a workmanlike manner, and on reasonable terms.

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A reasonable share of public patronage respectfully solicited HUNTSMAN & HACKETT.
Massillon, Feb 22, 1869—295 tf

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Massillon Rail-Road Time Table.

No. 1, through mail,	6 45 a. m.	GOING WEST.
5, way mail,	12 43 p. m.	
7, express,	2 18 p. m.	
3, express,	6 55 p. m.	
No. 6, express,	7 18 a. m.	GOING EAST.
4, way mail,	10 56 a. m.	
8, way mail,	2 50 p. m.	
2, express,	9 30 p. m.	

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.—The G A R post of this place announce that they will have a festival in their hall on next Friday evening. It is hoped that everybody will attend and patronize them liberally, for the object they have in view will commend itself to every patriotic heart. The Post designs raising means wherewith to purchase a lot in the Massillon cemetery for the use of such of their comrades as are unable to buy a place of burial. The object commends itself to all.

GAS, or some sort of lights was very much needed on our streets during the dark, moonless nights of last week, but it was not there, and many a person who had to be out after dark found it very inconvenient to be floundering around dark streets through mud often, and rain frequently. To strangers coming among us it looks very odd when they find themselves in a city of the second class, and rapidly and solidly growing, with not a gas light on the streets, excepting some three or four put up by private individuals. This certainly is not as it should be. Towns with not one fourth the population are lighted up every night, and their citizens instead of complaining about the expense it brings on them are proud of the convenience and advantages such lights afford. In many respects our citizens are as spirited and enterprising as those of any other place, but in the matter of providing gas lights we are away off in Delaware or New Jersey—behind the age. It is time to punch this Rip Van Winkle style out of existence. The gas question has been agitated heretofore, and it will continue to be shaken until the city authorities, or somebody who has power in the premises, goes to work and puts us out of the woods. Let any of our people go to New Lisbon or Columbiana, both of them in an adjoining county, and both together not having but little over one half the population Massillon claims, and there it will be seen that their streets are lit up every night, and no persuasion could induce their people to do without their lamps And neither of them have gas, but burn oil, which is an excellent substitute. In the matter of light, then, these comparatively small towns are ahead of our city. How long, oh, how long shall it be thus?

PACKET BOAT.—Capt R Mayers, has commenced running a daily packet, the Eagle, on the canal, between this place and Dover. This will afford such of our citizens as may wish to visit that place on business or pleasure, or any of the intermediate points, a fine opportunity of doing so in a pleasant, safe, comfortable manner, and no doubt many will avail themselves of the rare advantages which this enterprise affords.

Captain Mayers has decided that he will start from Massillon and from Dover in the morning instead of later in the day, as he at first proposed.

The Willow Bank Coal Co. are fixing an extensive coal yard just west of the canal and north of Moug and Crawford's manufacturing establishment, where they propose keeping a full supply of this indispensable article for the use of our citizens. Our fast increasing population creates a considerable coal market, and although there are several places where it can be had, still there is enough for them all to do, and they can and are making it a paying business.

Within the last few days the calaboose has been inhabited several times. Cause why, the inspiration of what is now called benzine, fusil—formerly strichnine or devils broth. As long as it is dealt out trouble will follow to the consumer, and the calaboose open its iron jaws to receive him. One dose of calaboose should be enough to warn a whole community. But look a little out—this liquor question is to be voted on one of these days, and the people will crush out the liquor power by their more potent voice.

To those who have seen few or no shows such as was here last Monday, and had a good look at that, it would appear to be a rather big thing; to sight seers, who are somewhat familiar with such things—at least to some of them—it was a rather small affair. But perhaps the showmen did the best they could—yet they should not make such big promises—if they cannot fill the bills they should do less

EUREKA is said by the proprietor to be doing sure execution against the enemy which it is used to combat. Pleased to hear it, as there is plenty of work for it to do in this and every community.

MR ICKES will commence teaching his singing classes, in the third story of Richheimes's building this week. The juvenile class is to meet on Saturday at 1 o'clock p m, and the adult class on next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Our Salem neighbors are actively at work, co-operating with the people of Youngstown and New Philadelphia in agitating the feasibility of a railroad which is to connect these places, thus shortening the distance between these points and Cincinnati. An organization has been effected and an enthusiastic meeting held at Salem which seems to have inspired all those interested with early success of the enterprise. Zadok Street, a citizen of Salem, and a gentleman of experience in railroad matters, has taken hold of the work, and if energy and perseverance can accomplish it, he will put it through, for he permits no obstacle to stand in the way of any improvement he has in view The name of the proposed route is the Cincinnati, Salem, Youngstown and Eastern Railway. We may make mention that Massillon is soon to be connected with Cleveland by rail, and that this improvement will insure a southern connection at an early day.

FATAL R R ACCIDENT.—On last Saturday afternoon as one of the coal trains was coming east, from some unknown cause two or three of the hindmost cars became detatched from the others at Williamsons' crossing, about four miles west of Massillon, and Henry Klepport, a brakeman, being on the foremost detached car, it is supposed, attempted to jump to the car just before it, but in doing so fell to the ground. As the hinder cars were yet in motion his body was ran over, badly breaking the skull and causing several mortal wounds in the breast. Of course sudden death was the consequence. The body was immediately taken up and brought to the depot at this place. The accident became known immediately among many of our people, and Joseph Heckman, Esq, was called upon to perform the duties of coroner. Constable Raser summoned a jury, who heard the statements of several witnesses, the purport of which is stated above, and after a brief examination of the body by Dr Richards, who ascertained the fatal nature of the wounds, and stated the same, ther verdict was that the deceased came to his death by accident, the nature of which no one could foresee or avert. The deceased was a native of Wooster, and bore the appearance of a respectable young man, aged perhaps some 35 years. His sudden death was a terrible piece of intelligence for the relatives who live at Wooster.

PROF KIMBALL succeeded some months ago in purchasing a microscope in the city of New York, and in making use of it he has found it to be capable of immense magnifying powers. A number of ladies and gentlemen visited the Union school house last Saturday, and there had the satisfaction of witnessing many extraordinary sights, such as will excite the marvel of the curious and inquiring, while it develops many of the wonders of nature. The eye of a fly or a bee is represented on the screen large enough to fill a space some four square feet, the sting of a bee appears to be several feet long, while quite fine, short pieces of human hair look as large as billets of stove wood. Those specimens of animated nature that travel on sheep and inhabit the scalps of some humans were augmented to the size of large dogs, while that fellow that annoys people in beds sometimes was about as big as a cow The finest thread was augmented so the bigness of a ship's cable, while a common pin looked like a great beam some ten or twelve inches in diameter. And there were many other objects illustrated, making the exhibition one of much more than ordinary value to the inquisitive, the curious, and the searcher after the mysteries of nature. All present were highly gratified with the illustrations, and Prof Kimball has done a most commendable work in securing the possession of so valuable an instrument. His brief delineations were easily understood, and added much to the interest taken by the spectators. And in addition to the microscope there are many other objects of value to the teacher and pupil connected with this school. Neatly and ingeniously constructed mechanical appliances, some of the best of which were made by our mechanics here, for the purpose of exhibiting the marvels of motion and the blending of colors, are also to be seen. Electrical and chemical apparatus, an air pump, a nicely constructed orrerry, and many other objects of intrinsic value are to be seen there; and in the use of these numerous assistants to the teachers Prof K seems entirely familiar, while to the learner they are invaluable in imparting that knowledge, which all are, or should be ambitious of attaining

CORNER STONE.—About the time, (one o'clock) for laying the corner stone of the German Evangelical Lutheran church of this city on last Sunday it rained rapidly—and had been it calging in that, for some hours before. Still it did not deter a large congregation of people from turning out, and when together just previous to the services must have exhibited about an acre of outspread umbrellas. A platform was erected at the west end of the building, on and around which were placed comfortable seats, sufficient to accommodate several hundred people. When the rain ceased, or rather slacked, the platform and seats were occupied and services commenced by Rev I P Buehl, pastor of the congregation, who, after singing by the choir, led in prayer, and then addressed the audience in a few words, and reading appropriate portions of scripture. The corner stone was made hollow on the under side for the purpose of admitting a small iron box. In this box Mr Buehl placed copies of German and English Bibles, Catchism, a confession of faith, a brief history in manuscript of their school and school house, and preliminaries for erecting a new chapel, with copies of two German religious papers. The workmen had everything prepared for placing the stone in position, which was skillfully and easily done by the aid of machinery erected for the purpose. Rev Mr Horn, of Holmes county, then preached an appropriate sermon in German to which the audience listened with attention and respect. He was followed by Rev Prof Worley, of Canton who preached a brief and earnest discourse in English. The choir, which performed its part very creditably at proper intervals, was assisted by the use of a melodeon, at which Mr Buehl presided. Notwithstanding the rainstorm the entire ceremonies were successful in commanding the respect of our people generally: and if the day had been a pleasant one many hundreds more from other vicinities would have been present. A liberal collection was taken up in order to aid in defraying the expenses of erecting this fine new church.

Just received at Ricks' some new styles of of mottled ginghams just the thing for warm weather, warranted to give satisfaction.

HIGHLY COMPLIMENTARY.

National Peace Jubilee Association,
Boston, May 31, 1869.

Dear Sirs: I take great pleasure in advising you officially that at a meeting of the executive committee of this association, holden on Saturday evening, it was on motion of Mr E D Jordan, unanimously voted,

That, if any pianos are to be used in the performances at the coliseum, they shall be the grand orchestral pianos of Messrs Hallet, Davis & Co.

I remain your ob't servant,
H G PARKER, Sec'ty.

Messrs. Hallett, Davis & Co. Boston.

Carpets.—you can find a large assortment of the various styles at prices which will be as low as any other market at Ricks'.

A new thing, waterproof umbrellas at Ricks'.

The old limekiln, which has for a long time ornamented the west bank of the canal, is about to be demolished.

Strawberries have come down from 40 to 18 and 20 cents a quart, and the market here has been well supplied.

Just received at Ricks & new assortment of silk parasols of all the latest styles, will be sold cheap.

Rain and ditto has been the experience of this neighborhood almost every day for the last two or three weeks. Vegetation is growing rapidly in consequence, and crops are coming on finely, but so much wet is in the way of working corn, and endangers the wheat prospects where it is heavy and liable to lodge.

As soon as the foundation or stone work of the new church is all laid the brick work will be carried forward with energy, so that it will be under roof in good season, that it may be finished during the fall and winter. The plan drawn by the architect after which the building is to be modeled is said to be one of fine proportions, which will render it an ornament to that portion of the city.

MR. J. L. DURGIN, who has his jewelry establishment in M. Higley's music store room, is doing a good trade in cleaning and repairing clocks and watches, and doing other work in his line. His terms are very reasonable, and his long practice in the trade enables him to give satisfaction in intricate and difficult work. He is also agent for an improved fire and burglar safe. Give him a call—opposite the Opera building.—311 2t

Complaints are making by some of our citizens that parties visiting the cemetery while there make free to pluck flowers placed by the hands of affection on the graves of departed ones. Whoever does these things may not think it improper, but to others who placed these momentos of regard on the graves of their kindred it is a matter of serious annoyance, and for this reason the practice of taking such liberties is regarded as highly reprehensible, and unworthy the conduct of thoughtful or discreet persons.

For choice groceries, queensware, and glassware call on Arnold, at London's. Our motto is as good as the best, and cheap as the cheapest and in some things cheaper. Goods delivered to any part of the city, free of charge.

The marshal in arresting an unruly man on last Monday was resisted by another person, who thus brought himself into difficulty. He was taken before the mayor and fined for misbehavior, the marshal not choosing to urge punishment for resisting him. As it was said to be his first offence the mayor let him off cheap, fining him five dollars and cost. Perhaps it would be as well to make these reckless fellows feel the law more severely, and make them understand that their misconduct will be punished as it deserves.

For oranges, lemons, pineapples, cocoanuts, prunes, prunellos, cherries, strawberries, and canned fruits, call on Arnold, at London's.

FIRE.—Just about 12 o'clock on Sunday night, when rain was rapidly coming down, the cry of fire was raised. It took some little time to arouse the sleeping people, but a sufficient force, with the aid of our efficient firemen, was soon on the ground, at the large red frame building on Erie st, occupied as a cooper shop and warehouse, and owned by the firm of Brown, Bank & Co. But little damage was done, as the fire had just commenced in a pile of sawdust and shavings, consuming but a part of them, and burning a small hole through the second floor. The first dash of water so completely put it out that some one in the crowd called for a lantern to find the fire. It was, however, a fortunate escape, for the building is a heavy frame, and on the third story were several hundred barrels, which, with some two or three adjoining frames of large size, had the fire got fairly started, would have been attended with serious loss. How the fire originated we have not heard explained. Whoever was out counting that night and discovered the fire, giving the alarm proved to be a benefactor to the city.

Dress goods in great variety, at Humberger's.

Those new lawns at Humberger & Son's are splendid.

Go to Humberger's and see the new goods.

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OATS ℔ bu	50@ 60
CLOVERSEED ℔ bu	0 00@0 00
FLAXSEED ℔ bu	2 00
BARLEY ℔ bu	0 00
POTATOES ℔ bu	50
BUTTER ℔ lb	18
EGGS ℔ doz	15@ 00
SALT ℔ bbl	2 00
DRIED APPLES ℔ lb	10
WHITE LIME ℔ bbl	1 75
WATER LIME ℔ bbl	2 25
BACON (clear sides) ℔ lb	14@ 00
SHOULDERS ℔ lb	13@ 00
HAMS ℔ lb	18@ 00
HAY ℔ tun	14 00
WOOD ℔ cord	4 50@5 00
WOOL ℔ lb	32@40
COAL ℔ tun	3 50@4 00
CHEESE per lb	12@00

RELIGIOUS NOTICES.

Episcopal Church—Rev. G. W. TIMLOW, rector Services every Sunday at the usual hours.
Methodist Episcopal—Rev. WILLIAM LYNCH pastor. Morning service, 10½, evening 7½ o'clock.
Presbyterian—Rev. R J. WILLIAMS, pastor. Morning service, 10½, evening 7½ o'clock.
German Reformed—Rev. H. KORTHEUER, pastor Service at 10 o'clock, morning.
Evangelical Lutheran, St. Paul's Church—Rev. P I. BUEHL, pastor. 10 a. m., 2½ o'clock p. m.
St. Joseph's, Catholic—Rev Father VERLETT—morning service 10, and 3 p.m.—every Sunday.—a. m., none p. m.
St. Mary's, German Catholic—Rev Father LEIS—Services at 10 a. m.

BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATIONS.

H O M DIVERSION S T meet in their hall, Main st every Tuesday evening.
I O G TEMPLARS meet at their H llover the Union National Bank, Erie street, Thursday evenings.
I O O FELLOWS meet in their hall corner Main and Erie streets, Monday evenings.
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F & A MASONS meet at their hall, Mill street, every Wednesday evening.

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Which so disfigure the appearance, PURGING the evil effects of mercury and removing all taints the remnants of diseases hereditary or otherwise, and is taken by adults and children with perfect SAFETY.

TWO TABLE-SPOONFULS of the extract of Sarsaparilla, added to a pint of water, is equal to the Lisbon Diet Drink, and one bottle is equal to a gallon of the Syrup of Sarsaparilla, or the decoctions as usually made.

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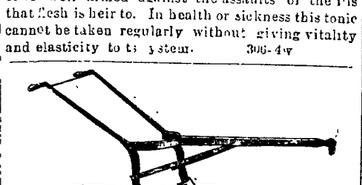

Notice.—The undersigned would respectfully call the attention of farmers, merchants and others to the fact that Kelley & Bros are not sole agents for west end of Stark and adjoining counties for the sale of the Iron Shovel PLOW, but that he, as heretofore, is now prepared to furnish, and can sell them as low as they can be sold, as he gets them direct from the manufacturer. All communications from merchants and others will receive prompt attention—306 tf S. A CONRAD.

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We are requested to announce the name of G. T. STANLEY of Lexington, as candidate for nomination for sheriff of Stark county subject to action by the republican primary election.

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We are requested to announce the name of Mr. U. R. FEATHER, of Canton, as a candidate for Treasurer of Stark County, subject to nomination at the republican primary meetings.

We are requested to announce that Major WM. MCKINLEY, of Canton, is a candidate for nomination for the office of prosecuting attorney for Stark county, subject to the decision of the republican primary meetings.

MR EDITOR.—Please announce the name of S C BOWMAN, of Massillon, as a candidate for representative, subject to the decision of the republican primary election.

MANY FRIENDS.

MR EDITOR.—Please announce the name of E N JOHNSON, of Alliance, as a candidate for representative, subject to the decision of the republican primary election.

MANY REPUBLICANS

ED. INDEPENDENT—Please announce the name of J W GARRISON, of Alliance, as a candidate for Representative, subject to the decision of the republican primary election.

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CANTON, O., May 25th, 1869.

We have examined Hall's Copper Lightning Conductors, of which Messrs J Kitzmiller & sons of this city are agents, and cheerfully recommend them to the public as combining all the elements of excellence, and as being unequaled as perfect conductors

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Notice.

To the Stockholders of the Massillon and Cleveland Railroad Company.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Massillon and Cleveland Railroad Company will be held at the office of Kent Jarvis, Esq, in the city of Massillon, O, at 10 o'clock a m of the

22d day of June, proximo.

for the purpose of considering a proposed lease of the company's property to the P P W & C R W Co, and such other business as may come before it.

F M HUTCHINSON, Sec'ty.

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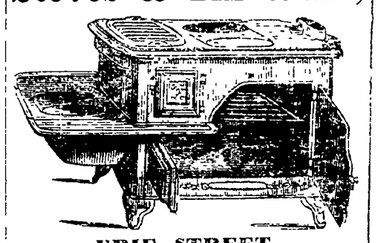

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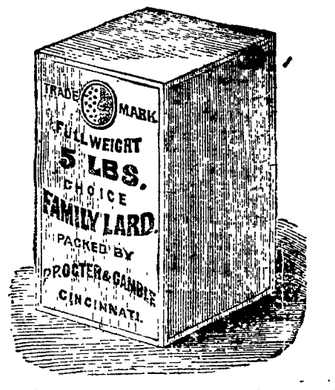

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Packed in 3lb, 5 lb, 10 lb pails, and 50 lb cases for shipping. Grocers who keep a choice selling lard, send for a price list. 307-3m

We do not wish to assert, as do the proprietors of many other so-called remedies, that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy is a positive cure for every case of Catarrh in the human system, however long standing or aggravated it may be, but we do say that we have yet to learn of the first case of Catarrh that has resisted the use of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, when the directions for its use have been faithfully complied with. We have yet to receive the first letter from any person who has been permanently cured of Catarrh by the use of any other remedy, but we have hundreds of letters from those who have been cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, many of which we are constantly receiving. Sold by druggists everywhere. Price 50 cents. Beware of worthless imitations. Ask for Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and take no other. For sale by [illegible]

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NOTICE is hereby given that I have purchased of Chas. Meyer & Co., their stock of goods, consisting of Groceries, Queensware, Glassware, Notions, &c., and will continue the business at the same stand. All persons indebted to the late firm of Chas. Meyer & Co. are requested to make immediate payment, and all persons having claims against the said late firm are required to present the same for settlement on or before the 1st day of June next, or they will be barred by law. All persons will take notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted in the name of the late firm after this date.

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It is the vital principle of the Pine Tree, obtained by a peculiar process in the distillation of tar, by which its highest medical properties are retained.

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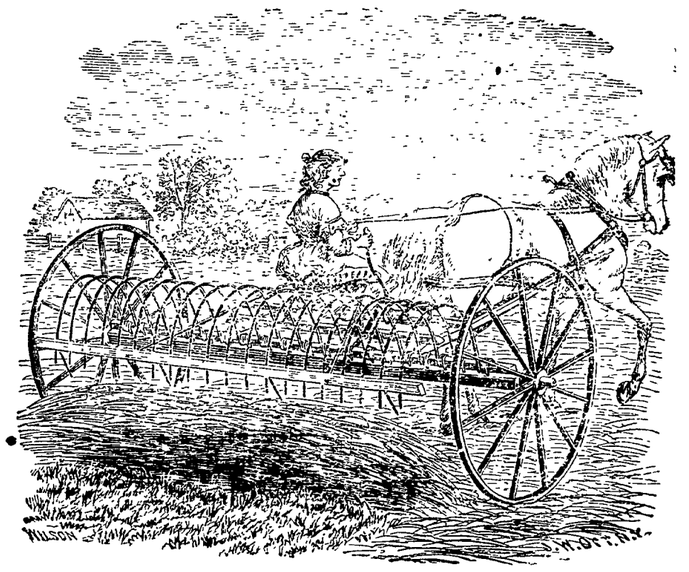

THE CELEBRATED

LOCK LEVER HORSE-RAKE.

Parties wishing Rakes should call and examine them at the old stand, Erie street, Massillon, Ohio.

Massillon, June 2—309 tf

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PADDLE YOUR OWN CANOE.

Voyager upon life's sea,
To yourself be true,
And where'er your lot may be,
Paddle your own canoe.
Never though the winds may rave,
Falter nor look back;
But upon the darkest wave,
Leave a shining track.

Nobly dare the wildest storm,
Stem the hardest gale,
Brave of heart and strong of arm,
You will never fail.
When the world is cold ond dark,
Keep an aim in view;
And toward the beacon-mark
Paddle your own canoe.

Every wave that bears you on,
To the silent shore,
From its sunny source has gone
To return no more.
Then let not an hour's delay
Cheat you of your due;
But, while it is called to-day,
Paddle your own canoe.

If your birth denies you wealth,
Lofty state and power,
Honest fame and hardy health
Are a better dower.
But if these will not suffice,
Golden gain pursue;
And to gain the glittering prize,
Paddle your own canoe.

Would you wrest the wreath of fame
From the hand of fate?
Would you write a deathless name
With the good and great?
Would you bless your fellow men?
Heart and soul imbue
With the holy task, and then
Paddle your own canoe.

Would you crush the tyrant wrong,
In the worlds free fight?
With a spirit brave and strong,
Battle for the right.
And to break the chains that bind
The many to the few—
To enfranchise the slavish mind—
Paddle your own canoe.

Nothing great is lightly won,
Nothing won is lost;
Every good deed, nobly done,
Will repay the cost.
Leave to Heaven, in humble trust,
All you will to do:
But if you succeed, you must
Paddle your own canoe.

Splitting a Knotty Stick.

One day there was a great thumping in my cellar, and if you had gone down there you would have seen that one of the windows had been opened, and that sticks of wood, some square, some round, some three-cornered, big and little, knotty and clear, all sawn the right length for the stove were pouring in through that window; and every stick as it came down seemed to say, "Stand clear, or you'll get hurt." So I stood clear, and let the workers have it all their own way.

I suppose the one who sent it thought that spliting it would be good exercise for the minister, and he thought so too. So I went at it. But pretty soon a big stick turned up, full of hard knots on every side. I fancied that one of these knots looked like an eye, and that it kept watching me as I picked up one stick after another, and left it untouched. In fact, it almost seemed to say, "Split little sticks, if you have a mind, but I dare you to touch me."

It was a great annoyance to see it there every day; but the question was how to get rid of it. It was too good to be thrown away, and it was too big to go into the stove. My only course was to try to split it. So one day when I felt strong in my bones, I laid it on the block with the eye up. Then put all my strength into my arms, I sent my ax fair across the eye, and through it went

To my surprise, the old stick split more easily than many others before it. And then I could not help thinking how true this is all through life. How often do men and boys fancy that some duty is very hard, and work all around it, and fear to touch it, hanging back until they can do so no longer, and then make a good effort, and find that it is real easy, and that they have had all their troublesome fears for nothing.

Boys, remember that knotty stick. When you have any work to do, don't stop to think how hard it is, but take hold at once bravely; hit it fairly in the eye, and ten to one, you will be through before you know it.

Thirty Centuries Old.

The oldest relic of humanity extant, is the skeleton of the earliest Pharaoh encased in its original burial robes, and wonderfully perfect, considering its age, which was deposited eighteen or twenty months ago in the British Museum, and is justly considered the most valuable of its archæological treasures. The lid of the coffin which contained the royal mummy was inscribed with the name of its occupant, Pharaoh Mykerimus, who succeeded the heir of the builder of the great pyramid, about ten centuries before the birth of Christ. Only think of it—the monarch whose crumbling bones and leathery integuments are now exciting the wonder of numerous gazers in London, reigned in Egypt before Solomon was born, and only about eleven centuries or so after Misraim, the grandson of old father Noah, and the first of the Pharaohs had been gathered to his fathers! Why, the tide-mark of the deluge could scarcely have been obliterated, or the gopher-wood knee-timbers of the ark have rotted on Mount Ararat, when this man of the early world lived, moved, and had his being. His flesh and blood were cotemporary with the progenitors of the great patriarch. His bones and shrivelled skin are cotemporary with the nineteenth century, and the date of the crucifiction is only about midway between his era and ours.

Those who have been fearful lest the republic should, some day, become Roman Catholic, will be, perhaps, reassured by the statistics read before the Presbyterian new school general assembly, now sitting in New York. These statistics show that more Protestants are immigrating into the United States from Europe than Roman Catholics, and that the Catholic immigration is rapidly declining in proportionate numbers, while Protestant immigration is as rapidly increasing.

Is Alcohol Useful by Preserving the Tissues and thus Increasing the Term of Life.

There may be a sense in which this question may be answered in the affirmative, but it seems to me difficult to conceive a case in which tissues thus preserved would be of value sufficient to pay the expense of the process; but this idea having been recently advanced by a learned professor, deserves a passing, though not a serious notice.

The professor did not prescribe the form in which alcohol should be taken, nor the regime to accompany it in order best to succeed in preserving the tissues; but, "holding the mirror up to nature," I think I can see and supply the deficiency.

In the first place, you should sit perfectly still, for every motion tends against the preservation of the tissues; then you should live in the most impure air possible, for every breath of air containing oxygen burns up the waste of the tissues, and counteracts the desired influence; and then you should keep the tissues well preserved in lager beer, this form of alcoholic drink being best adapted to bring us into a state of torpidity.

You have seen perhaps, a toad, a motley-faced, blubber-lipped toad, sitting in the corner of the garden, in one spot, hour after hour, and day after day, with just energy enough to wink, and to catch a fly if he comes within an inch of his nose; a perfect personification of a bloated, beer-drinking Pennsylvania Dutchman, who will sit, it is said, in the chimney corner from morning till night, with just energy sufficient to raise the beer to his lips, and call for more when his mug is empty. How long he can succeed in preserving his tissues has not been fully ascertained; but his prototype, the toad, sometimes succeeds wonderfully. Before a rain, a toad will sometimes muster up energy sufficient to crawl up into the fork of a tree, and there fill his big mouth with air, and blowing it through his lips, will utter a kind of trumpet-sound, to notify us that a rain is coming; and when it comes, he crawls under the rough bark in the fork of a tree, and there waits and winks till the rain is over. Now it is said to have happened, that waiting too long, and the old bark becoming dry, he is bound in and can never get out. Year after year he stays there, winking in summer and suspending his work in the winter. Meantime the tree grows over him, and after many years, perhaps, is cut down, and there the toad is, still alive and winking.

Now this is not exactly an illustration of the power of alcohol to preserve the tissues, unless the toad has the power of manufacturing his own alcohol out of the carbon and hydrogen with which he was all th time surrounded, but it does illustrate the condition towards which all tissues must be brought to be preserved by alcohol. And the question comes up, What is the use of such tissues? What is a Dutchman good for who does nothing but drink lager beer?—*Philosophy of Eating by A. J. Bellows.*

Sharp Practice.

A livery stable-keeper, not a thousand miles from Lowell, Mass., was applied to by a fine looking man, for a horse and buggy, to go out of town for the day. He was furnished, and, when about to leave, was informed that it was customary to have a deposit left by strangers. He inquired what the owner would take for his team, and was told five hundred dollars, which was immediately handed over to the proprietor. On returning, the stable-keeper was asked to examine the team, and see if he thought it was worth as much as when taken away in the morning, to which he answered in the affirmative, and handed the stranger the identical five hundred dollars, who immediately left for the hotel. The stable-keeper not having realized any profit by the transaction, followed and informed him that he had forgotten to pay for the use of the team. "What team?" was the reply. "I bought a team from you this morning, and sold it back to you just now for the same price. I drove my own team." The livery man found himself minus the amount of his charge.

An Irishman just come to this country had never seen a fiddle. A man came into the hotel with one under his arm. He soon began to tune up. One of the screws slipped, and he spit upon it to make it hold, and then began to draw the bow. The Irishman, who was watching him, could stand it no longer, but bolted across the street, into another hotel, exclaiming:

"I thought this was a land of liberty and freedom. But the devil take such a land, where ye abuse the poor childer so bad."

Landlord—"Who is abusing the children?"

"Why, a man came into the tavern just now, with a little boy under his arm, and commenced to torment the dear little crature. First he began to pull and twist at his ears, then, to provoke him more, he spit in his face, and then he drawed a briar across his belly, and Holy Moses, how he did scream!"

WHITTLESEY'S DYSPEPSIA CURE—It will cure dizziness arising from a disordered stomache. Hear what Theodord D Shepherd, Esq., of the firm of Newman, Case & Shepherd, says of it: Having used Dr Whittlesey's Dyspepsia Cure for a year past, I can cheerfully recommend the same as an excellent remedy for sick headache and dizziness arising from a disordered stomach.

Nineveh was fourteen miles long, eight wide, and forty miles round, with a wall 100 feet high, and thick enough for three chariots abreast. Babylon was fifty miles within the walls, which were 75 feet thick and 100 high, with 100 brazen gates. The temple of Diana at Ephesus was 420 feet to the support of the roof. It was 100 years in building. The largest of the pyramids is 481 feet high and 653 on the sides; its base covers 11 acres. The stones are about 60 feet in length, and the layers are 208. It employed 330.000 men in building. The labrinth in Egypt contains 300 chambers and 12 halls. Thebes, in Egypt, presents ruins 27 miles round. Athens was 25 miles round, and contained 359,000 citizens, and 500 slaves. The temple of Delphos was so rich in donations that it was plundered of fifty millions of dollars, and Nero carried away from it 200 statues. The walls of Rome were 13 miles round.

In the course of two or three weeks the work of laying the new cable across the Atlantic will be commenced. The new line will connect the shores of France and America starting from Brest and reaching the island of St Pierre, a French possession on the south coast of Newfoundland, whence it will deflect southward, and strike the United States coast at Duxbury, about thirty miles south-east of Boston. Thus it will wholly avoid English territory.

Don Piatt writes: "A friend of mine tells me a good story of a worthy divine of the democratic faith, who, during the Mexican war, held forth in a prayer one night, before his little congregation, somewhat in this wise:

"Thou knowest, O Lord, that our rights were invaded by those Mexicans—that they crossed the Rio Grande into our territory, and so declared war on us; all of which, O Lord, Thou wilt find set forth clearly and conclusively in the message of our excellent president."

It is well known to chemists and physiologists that the very finely bolted white flour, which is so much sought after, is far less nutritious than what is termed middlings or unbolted flour. The nutritious ingredients of the grain—the wheat phosphates and gluten—are removed to obtain the required whiteness. Dr. Henry McCormack, an eminent physician of Belfast, Ireland, in some interesting remarks on the subject, says: "What I want to see everywhere is the preparation of whole meal bread—bread including the bran, with the bran gluten so essential to good bread and the nurture of our flesh and bones. But I do not think that the working classes, to whom it is so important, will ever take to it fully until set the example by the more instructed classes."

"Are you fond of 'Hogg's Tales?' said a blue stocking lady to a western farmer.

"Yes, madam, I like hog's tails with plenty of salt on them," was the countryman's reply.

"But you misunderstand me," she replied, "I mean have you read Hogg's Tales?"

"Noa," said the bumkin, 'our hogs are all black or white, and I don't think there is a red one among them."

One John Creep, of Rockport, Ohio, sends a Cleveland paper the following notice:

'I hereby give notice to my friends and not my friends that my wife run away and stole money from my house on Thursday, the 11th day of February, and if she does not return in twenty-four hours, I call us parted!'

An Irishman was brought before a magistrate charged with marrying six wives. The magistrate asked him how he could be so hard a villain. To which he answered, "Please your honor, I was trying to get a good 'un."

The following advertisement under the head of A Wife wanted, is from a western paper:

'Any gal what's got a bed, a coffee pot, skillet, knows how to cut out britches, can make a huntin shirt, and take care of young uns, ken hev my services till death parts both on us.'

A London advertisement in rather bad taste, announces that Ned Wright, the converted burglar, will preach at Wadsworth Assembly Room and break the doors of hell with a gospel jimmy.

A lady in Boston, who was about giving a party to the members of the Congregational convention, sent for Mr. S——, a caterer, to assist in the preparations. He asked if she intended to give a dancing party. She replied it was to be mainly composed of clergymen. "In that case, madam," said he, 'I would advise you to provide bountifully. Them pious ones eats dreadful."

Mr Cable advertises his runaway apprentice, R Strong, in the following style:

'He can be identified by the fact that he has not combed his hair since the 4th of July, 1865, and cannot speak ten words at a time without uttering twenty falsehoods.'

An advertisement of somebody's liver encouraging, silent perambulator, family pill, tells a credulous public that this pill is as mild as a pet lamb, and it don't go fooling about. It attends strictly to business, and is as certain as an alarm clock.'

McDonald & Bruce

Are offering to the people of Massillon and vicinity

DECIDED BARGAINS IN

Teas,
Sugars,
Coffees,
Spices,
Canned Fruits,

A Choice Stock of Maple Syrup,

Silver Drips,
Molases,

Chicago & Country Ham,

Shoulder,
Bacon,
Dried Beef
Salt and Fresh Fish,
Butter,
Eggs,
Lard,
Carbon Oil,
Refrigerators,
Filters,

Ice Cream Freezers,

Stone Ware,
Wooden Ware,

BEST QUALITY OF FLOUR.

—ALSO—

The Largest and Most Complete Assortment of

Queensware,
Crockery,
and Glassware,

TO BE FOUND IN THE CITY.

Comprising the Cheapest as well as the best,

NEW AND LATEST STYLES,

And in fact everything connected with a First Class Grocery and Provision Store, (less liquors). Our prices are

Unquestionably Low.

We design to please and to merit at least a small proportion of the trade.

And especially would we note the fact that

We Deliver Everything,

From the Largest to the Smallest Parcel,

Free of Charge.

The highest market price paid in Cash, at all times for Butter, Eggs, and Produce generally.

McDONALD & BRUCE,
[Next Door to Humberger & Son's.]
305-tf MASSILLON, OHIO.

Kelley Bros.,

DEALERS IN
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE,
—AT—
Wholesale and Retail.

Iron, Nails, Glass,
Sash, Paints
Oils, Doors, Putty,
Carriage Trimmings,
Hubs, Spokes, Fellows,

PLOWS, ALL MAKES.

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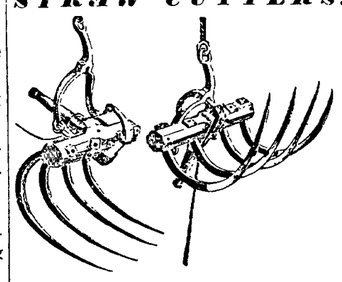
CIDER MILLS,

STRAW CUTTERS.



HAY HOOKS AND RAKES,

Please give us a call at the old stand Erie st., Massillon, O. 308-tf

WORDS OF WISDOM
FOR YOUNG MEN,

On the ruling passion in youth and Early Manhood, with self help for the erring and unfortunate. Sent in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Address HOWARD ASSOCIATION, Box P, Philadelphia, Pa.—307 1y

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T. R. RICHMOND, Dealer in
Pine Lumber, Shingles, Lath,
Dressed Siding and Flooring,

Has removed to his New Lumber Yard, Erie street, opposite the Tremont House, where he will be glad to wait on his old customers, and all who want any thing in the Lumber line.
Thankful for past favors.—153 tf

P. D. & J. S. CARR,
STENCIL CUTTERS,
ALLIANCE OHIO.

Are now prepared to execute all orders in their line of business, such as barrel brands, advertising plates name plates for marking clothing, &c. Orders promptly filled and sent to any part of the country.
WANTED.—A few agents to solicit orders. Apply as above, 286-1y

DR. HARRIS'
ECLECTIC SUMMER CORDIAL.
Is an infallable remedy for

Diarrhœa,
Dysentery,
Cholera Morbus,
Sick Stomach,
&c, &c., &c.

Since the introduction of this valuable medicine to the public it has never failed to give perfect satisfaction in every instance, and the proprietor authorizes his agents to refund the money in every case where it fails to effect a cure.

Price 50 Cents Per Bottle.

For sale by Druggists general'y, or sent by express to any part of the country, on receipt of the price. Address, HARRIS & EWING,
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JOS. HORNE & CO

Have now in store and ready for examination a full line of

New Spring Goods,

In Straw Bonnets and Hats, French Flowers & Ornaments, Ribbons in all shades, Millinery Goods, Straw Gimps and Laces, Frames, Blocks, Silks, and Satins, Caps, Tarlatans, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs, Laces real and imitation, Ruffings, Puffings, White Goods, Cambries, PK, &c., Linen and Paper Collars and cuffs, Ties, Suspenders, Shirts, shirt fronts, Underwear, corsets, Hosiery and Gloves, Hoop Skirts, cambries, Paper Muslin, Drillings, Counterpanes, Fancy Goods, Soap, Perfumery, Umbrellas, Parasols,

NOTIONS;

Eastern Jobbing Prices,
77 & 79 Market Street,
Pittsburg, Pa.
April 21, 1869-304 tf

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Joe. Bahney,

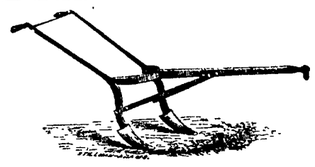
Manufacturer of and Dealer in
FURNITURE and CHAIRS
Ware Rooms Nos. 28 & 30 Erie st.,
Massillon, O.

MY STOCK CONSISTS IN PART OF
Sofas, all kinds of spring seat Chairs, Bureaus, Secreries, Book-Cases, Spring Beds,
French, Cottage, Jenny Lind, and Common
Bedsteads, Matresses,
Divans, Lounges, Cane Seat and COMMON CHAIRS,
Looking-Glasses, &c., &c.
Also,
Schooley's Patent Ice Refrigerator.

A HEARSE

Always in readiness.

COAL.—Persons desiring to purchase coal in large or small quantities, should leave their orders at C N Oberlin's grocery, for a superior article of the well known Willow Bank Coal This coal has the reputation of being equal if not superior to that of any other bank in the county. All orders promptly filled. [tf 275] CYRUS YORNS.



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Sole Agents for West end of Stark and adjoining counties.
Merchants and others should address them at Massillon, O.

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GEORGE HEIDEGGER

Is now prepared to do painting of all kinds; also graining, glazing and paper-hanging. Paints of all kinds for sale; kept constantly on hand for customers. I am prepared to execute every variety of work in my line, promptly, in the best style, and in a satisfactory manner; and if not done according to contract no charges made. Shop in Mr Schwarm's building on Erie street, opposite the Opera house, Massillon, O. 297tf

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Dealers in
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Corner Main and Erie Streets,
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Latest arrival of Fall Stock
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Consisting of Ready-Made Clothing, Furnishing Goods, and Everything else in his line, at his old stand.

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Fall and Winter and all kinds of Fancy Goods
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Sold Cheap for Cash.
Dec. 1-253

Lots for Sale,
In Sunnyside, Massillon.

I AM now prepared to sell
CHOICE BUILDING LOTS,
On reasonable terms and at low rates. The Lots adjoining the Depot are now laid out and ready for sale. Any one desirous of purchasing will do well to call soon. These Lots are eligibly located, lying south of South st and east of Erie street to the residence of Joseph Hatmaker. Landless men will here find good chances to so ure homes they can call their own. P G ALBRIGHT.
January 1, 1868-2?2 tf

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The subscriber offers for sale his property, in Massillon, consisting of a dwelling house, outbuildings, and one acre and 37-100ths of land. On the plot are good bearing fruit trees, good cistern &c. For terms and particulars call on the subscriber, on the premises.
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Mrs. S. A. ALLEN'S
IMPROVED
HAIR RESTORER
FAVORITE
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New Style in one Bottle
BY ITS USE

Gray or Faded Hair is quickly restored to its youthful color and beauty, and with the first application a beautiful gloss and delightful fragrance is given to the Hair.
It will cause Hair to grow on Bald Spots.
It will promote luxuriant growth.
FALLING HAIR is immediately checked.
For Sale by all Druggists.
DEPOT removed from Greenwich St. to
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PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

IMPROVED SEPARATOR
Thrashing Machines,
AND
Double-Geared Horse-Powers

RUSSELL & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Agricultural Implements,
Massillon, Stark County, Ohio,

Would respectfully inform those interested, that they continue to manufacture at their new stand
RUSSELL'S
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WHICH is acknowledged to be the BEST MACHINE for Thrashing, Separating and Cleaning Grain now in use. They have, during the past year, perfected an entire new set of Pattern for the DOUBLE-PINION HORSE POWER, on a larger scale than formerl, which, with a large number of other valuable improvements, make a stronger, more durable and lighter running power than heretofore. They have also on hand, and will continue to keep CLEAVER HULLERS of the most approved construction, the celebrated MICHIGAN DOUBLE PLOW, together with a general assortment of FARMING IMPLEMENTS, comprising PLOWS, CULTIVATORS, &c. Their establishment being situated on the Ohio Canal, and in the immediate vicinity of the Depot of the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railway, offers facilities by which we can ship Machinery to almost any section of the country.
☞ Orders by mail or telegraph promptly filled and letters of inquiry cheerfully answered.
Massillon Dec. '64-52

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MONG & CRAWFORD

Give notice that they have completed their arrangments for making prime
Sash, Doors, Window Blinds, Mouldings, &c.
Orders for any desired amount of all sizes and varities, filled promptly, and all work warranted to be as good and cheap as can be obtained IN THE STATE OF OHIO.
Give us a call at the old, established factory, directly
NORTH OF THE CANAL BRIDGE,
MASSILLON, O.
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S. A. CONRAD,
MAIN STREET,
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DEALER IN
Foreign & Domestic HARDWARE,

consisting of a fine selection of *Cutlery, Saddlery, coach Trimming*, with a large stock of
SCYTHES, FORKS, HAY HOOKS,
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All of which was bought exclusively for CASH and will be sold for SMALL PROFITS.

New Stove and Tin Ware ESTABLISHMENT,
Just north of Ricks & McLain's, Erie street
MASSILLON, O.

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Keeps constantly for sale a large and varied assortment of
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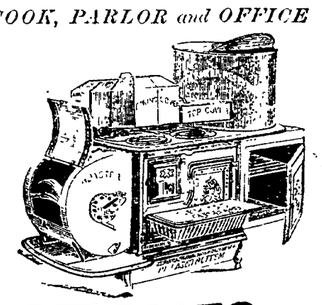

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